ISAC Meeting – December 2011

ACTION OR INFORMATION ITEM

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TOPIC: The global Invasive Species Compendium (ISC)

SPEAKER (Name/Emai): Hilda Diaz-Soltero, USDA

1. DESCRIPTION OF AGENDA ITEM:
Information briefing on new global Invasive Species Compendium. Question and Answer session.

2. WHY IS THIS ITEM IMPORTANT TO NISC / ISAC? HOW IS IT RELATED TO THE NATIONAL INVASIVE SPECIES MANAGEMENT PLAN?
This is ACTION 53 of the 2001 NISC Management Plan; task is now completed. The presentation will allow ISAC members to learn to use this global repository of up to date scientific information on invasive species from all taxa, all ecosystems, that have the worst impact on the environsmnt, economy and animal health. Information is freely available on the web and can be important for prevention, EDRR, control and management of invasives, s well as research and policy making..

3. PREVIOUS ACTIONS TAKEN BY NISC / ISAC ON THIS ITEM:
None.

4. ACTION REQUESTED OF NISC / ISAC:
30 minute presentation to ISAC, including a questions and answers. No specific action requested.

5. ALTERNATIVES:

6. ATTACHMENTS:

None.